Apprehended corrupt officials of Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers

†2803. SHRI MUNNAVAR HASAN: Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) The grade-wise number of officers of the Ministry apprehended by Vigilance Department/CBI during the last three years, on the allegations of corruption, dishonesty and having properties disproportionate to their income;

(b) whether the Vigilance Department/CBI have taken any action against these officers; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI SATYA BRATA MOOKHERJEE): (a) No officer of the Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers has been apprehended by Vigilance Department/CBI during the last three years, on the allegations of corruption, dishonesty and having properties disproportionate to their income.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Disinvestment of cooperative fertilizer units

2804. SHRI RAJU PARMAR: Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are contemplating to disinvest fertilizer units in the cooperative sector;

(b) if so, what are the details of such units likely to be disinvested; and

(c) if answer to part (a) above be in the negative, the reasons for not disinvesting these fertilizer units?

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